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Title of Invention	Controlled Release of Metal Cation-Stabilized Interferon
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<b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b> See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents.	<b>ADDRESS TO:</b> Assistant Commissioner for Patents Box Patent Application, P.O. Box 2327, Arlington, VA 22202
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2. ☒ Specification **Total Pages [ 27 ]**  
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  - Descriptive title of the invention
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  - Claim(s)
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 Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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☒ Continuation   
 ☐ Divisional   
 ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)   
 of prior application No.: 09/664,299

Prior application information:    Examiner: Edward J. Webman    Group Art Unit: 1617

**The entire disclosure of the prior application is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference.**  
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Sir:

The above-captioned application is a continuation of application number 09/664,299 filed on September 18, 2000 to which priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §120.

The related applications paragraph has been revised to include the parent application.

New Claims 1-10 have been added. Support for the newly added claims can be found in the specification.

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(4), please note that a Notice of Change of Correspondence Address was submitted in parent Application No. 09/664,299. Please send all correspondence in the above-identified continuation application to: Customer No. 021005; Hamilton, Brook, Smith & Reynolds, P.C., 530 Virginia Road, P.O. Box 9133, Concord, Massachusetts 01742-9133. In addition, please direct all telephone calls to Carolyn S. Elmore, Esq. at (978) 341-0036, and all facsimile communications to (978) 341-0136.

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